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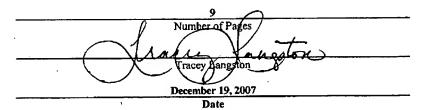
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REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD IN U.S. PATENT APPLICATION NO. 10/524,168

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Request hereby is made under provisions of 37 CFR § 10.40 for withdrawal of the attorneys of record associated with customer number 23448 in the above-identified U.S. patent application.

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On December 1, 2006, the undersigned attorney's law firm received a letter from the foreign patent law firm of Huber & Schuessler, who had originally secured the services of the undersigned attorney and his firm (the attorneys associated with customer number 23448) in this application, requesting that the file containing U.S. Patent Application No. 10/524,168 be transferred to the firm of Klauber & Jackson LLC, since the applicant desired to consolidate its patent filings in the same office. (See attached Exhibit A.)

On December 5, 2006, the undersigned attorney sent the requested file containing the subject application to the firm of Klauber & Jackson LLC, via Federal Express. (See attached Exhibit B.)

On December 6, 2006, the undersigned attorney's office received an acknowledgement from Klauber & Jackson LLC that the application was received. (See attached Exhibit C.) This application is now being handled by Klauber & Jackson.

For all the foregoing reasons, it is requested that this withdrawal request be accepted by the Patent and Trademark Office and that all future correspondence in this application be directed to the applicant's attorneys at the following address:

Mr. David Smith Klauber & Jackson LLC 411 Hackensack Avenue Hackensack, NJ 07601

Respectfully submitted,

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cc: Mr. David Smith, Klauber & Jackson

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Dear Steven:

In the above mentioned matter we herewith ask you to resign from representation and to transfer this file to the following office since our client decided to have all the files in same office:

> Klauber & Jackson LLC Attn.: Mr. David Smith 411 Hackensack Avenue Hackensack, NJ 07601 . U.S.A.

We thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Please confirm safe receipt by return facsimile.

Yours very truly,

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Dear David:

In response to correspondence dated December 1, 2006 from Huber & Schussler, please find enclosed the file for the above-referenced patent application.

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